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Report Highlights:

This report includes information on the FAS Buenos Aires promotional activity calendar for FY 2001.

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SECTION I. FAS/W Endorsed Trade Shows

None.

SECTION II. Other Trade Shows

Vinos y Bodegas 2002 (The only Argentine trade show on wine and alcoholic beverages). May 8-11, 2001 Palais de Glace Buenos Aires, Argentina

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<u>Target audience</u>: Argentine and foreign wineries, importers, distributors, specialty wine stores and clubs, culinary organizations, hotels and restaurants.

Sponsored by the Argentine Wine Association, Vinos y Bodegas is addressed to Argentine firms related to the wine and alcoholic beverages industry, and also by a good number of foreign visitors. Both Argentine and foreign wines are exhibited at this show, which is increasing in popularity due to the great success of Argentine wines in international markets.

Palermo Show (traditional agricultural and livestock show held annually in Buenos Aires) Last two weeks in July and first week in August, 2002 Predio Ferial La Rural Buenos Aires, Argentina

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<u>Target audience</u>: All Argentine agribusiness companies, agricultural government organizations,

and other firms which supply services to agricultural producers.

The *Palermo Show* is an excellent tool for the promotion of U.S. livestock genetics.

Expochacra (Agricultural annual show similar to the U.S. Farm Progress Show) March 14-17, 2002 Inriville, Pcia. de Cordoba, Argentina

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<u>Target audience</u>: Agricultural producers.

Interesting and educational dynamic show for agricultural companies held every year in a large farm.

SECTION III. Other Promotional Activities (organized by FAS Buenos Aires)

- In-store supermarket promotions in Buenos Aires November 2001 and March 2002, and Montevideo November 2001
- IFT Show buying mission June 2002
- PMA Show buying mission October 2002
- Food Safety Conference and Sanitary Mission to the U.S. No date.
- Paraguay Table-Top Display (in conjunction with Paraguay Agriculture & Livestock Show - July 2002)

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